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# SPY HILL CONSERVATORIES

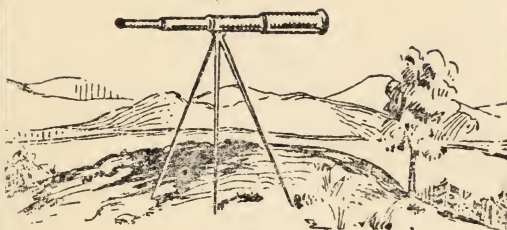
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**SPY HILL CONSERVATORIES**

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**Green Podded Bush or Dwarf Varieties.**

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**Bush or Dwarf Lima.**

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**Pole or Running Beans.**

King of the Garden Pole Lima, Pkt. 5c; 1 lb 40c; 2 lb 75c; 10 lb \$3.50. Horticultural Cranberry, Old Homestead or Kentucky Wonder, Pkt. 5c; 1 lb 40c; 2 lb 75c; 10 lb \$3.00.

**BEETS**

Edmond's Blood Turnip, Crimson Globe, Crosby's Egyptian, Eclipse, and Swiss Chard, Detroit Dark Red, Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c; 1/4 lb 40c; 1 lb \$1.00.



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220 Main Street, Beacon, N. Y.

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## THE SPY HILL CONSERVATORIES

The Spy Hill Conservatories is named from the hill of that name where the business was first located.

Spy Hill is the historical name of a Hill, located on a bend in the Hudson River, at the foot of Mt. Beacon where the early settlers used to go to look or spy (as they called it) for enemy boats. Spy up the river, spy down the river, from this hill, hence the name, "Spy Hill."

Then if necessary they would light the Beacon fires on Mt. Beacon to signal to the troops for help. North Beacon or South Beacon each had a meaning and they must walk up, no incline to pull them up in seven minutes, as we have now.

At the foot of this hill (Spy Hill) Dr. John Young erected the first small greenhouse and that March came the great blizzard of

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1888 and froze everything and he had to begin all over again.

Then after a while more green-houses were built then a store was added, the glass-houses were sold but the store increased in size and ability to please customers, and now a fine store with seeds, flowers, plants, and everything that goes to make a Flower Store attractive is here.

The flowers by especial arrangement with the grower (the party who bought our Green-house) we have fresh flowers every morning, brought to our store direct from the Green-houses, and our long standing in business, has given us a knowledge of just where to buy any flowers we want.

A thorough knowledge of arrangement and a fine eye for color, the making of bouquets, baskets, and all floral designs is an easy matter.

A line of baskets, vases, jardinières, etc., a really fine assortment is carried.

Seeds are also sold and a large

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and varied stock of reliable seeds makes this part of the business a great success.

The Florists Telegraph Delivery Association to which we belong makes it very easy to send flowers any where in a few hours, just step in our store and ask to have flowers sent to your friend in San Francisco, Boston, or New Orleans and in a few hours they will receive them, flowers fresh and sweet, with your card. The F. T. D. as it is called is a very fine part of the business.

We also receive orders from all parts of the country, and fill them with the utmost care.

This is just to tell you something about "Our Name," and our business and our ability to fill your orders.

Your Flower Friend always ready to serve you.

Spy Hill Conservatories.

S. L. YOUNG, Proprietor.

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Mangel Wurzel, Mammoth Long Red and Golden Tankard, Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25c; lb 75c.

### BRUSSEL SPROUTS

Half Dwarf, Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 20c; oz. 35c.

### CABBAGE

Early Winnigstadt. All Head Early, Succession, Danish Ball Head, Mammoth Rock Red, Selected Premium Flat Dutch, Burpee's Sure Head and Drumhead Savoy, Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 20c; oz. 35c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb \$1.25.

### CARROTS

Early Chantaney, Nantes, Coreless, Half Long Oxheart, Danvers' and Long Orange, Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 40c; lb \$1.50.

### CAULIFLOWER

Henderson's Snowball, Pkt. 15c; Larger Pkt. 25c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.25; oz. \$2.00.

### CELERY

White Plume, Boston Market, Giant Pascal, Winter Queen, Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 15c; oz. 30c. Celery or Turnip Rooted Celery, Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb \$1.00.

### CUCUMBER

Imp. White Spine, Arlington, Imp. Long Green, Boston Pickling and Early Cluster, Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 75c. Japanese Climbing, Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 75c.

### CORN SALAD

Corn Salad or Fetticus, Large Seeded, Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 60c.

### SWEET CORN

Golden Bantam, Howling Mob, Golden Giant, Whipples Early Yellow, Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb 15c; lb 30c; 10 lb \$2.50.

Stowell's Evergreen, Country Gentleman, Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb 15c; lb 30c; 2 lb 55c; 10 lb \$2.50.

### CHICORY

Witloof, Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 75c.

## CRESS OR PEPPER GRASS

Upland Cress, Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 50c.

## DANDELION

Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c; oz. 60c.

## EGG PLANT

New York Imp. Large Purple Spineless and Black Beauty, Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 30c; oz. 55c.

## ENDIVE

Long Green Curled and Broad-leaved Batavian, Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 15c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 50c.

## KOHL-RABI

Short Top Early Erfurt and Early White Vienna, Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c.

## KALE OR BORECOLE

Dwarf Green Curley, Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c.

## LETTUCE

Big Boston, Black Seeded Simpson, Iceberg, Golden Queen, Grand Rapids Forcing, Imp. Hanson, May King and Paris White Cos or Romaine, Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 20c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 75c.

## MELON

Musk Melon.

Early Hackensack, Emerald Gem, Jenny Lind, Paul Rose, Rocky Ford, Pkt. 5c; oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 45c.

Water Melon.

Cole's Early, and Kleckley Sweets or Monte Cristo, Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 45c;

Citron Melon.

Red and Green Seeded, Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 75c.

## OKRA OR GUMBO

White Velvet, Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 40c.

## ONION

WHITE—Southport White Globe, Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb \$1.00.

YELLOW—Yellow Globe Danver's Prizetaker, Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 15c; oz. 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 75c.

**RED**—Red Wethersfield, Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 15c; oz. 25c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 75c.

### **ONION SETS**

White, Red and Yellow, Pkt. 5c; lb 30c; 2 lb 55c; 10 lb \$2.50.

### **PARSLEY**

Champion Mossed Curled and Plain Leaf, Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 40c; lb \$1.25.

### **PARSNIPS**

Hollow Crown and Long Smooth, Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 45c; lb \$1.25.

### **PEPPERS**

Large Bell, Long Red Cayenne, Ruby King, Sweet Mountain, Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c; oz. 60c.

### **PEAS**

Alaska, Thomas Laxton, Nott's Excelsior, Premium Gem, Gradus or Prosperity, Imp. Telephone, Sutton's Excelsior, Dwarf Telephone, Pkt. 5c; lb 30c; 2 lb 55c; 10 lb \$2.50.

### **PUMPKINS**

Large Cheese and Sugar Pie, Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 30c; lb 75c.

### **RADISH**

Scarlet Turnip, White Tipped Forcing, French Breakfast, Long Scarlet, and White Icicle, Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 30c; lb \$1.00.

Winter Radish, Scarlet China or Rose, Long and Round Black Spanish, Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 30c; lb \$1.00.

### **SALSIFY OR OYSTER PLANT**

Mammoth Sandwich Island, Pkt. 5c; oz. 40c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb \$1.00.

### **SPINACH**

Large Round Leaf, Long Standing, Norfolk Savoy, Victoria and New Zealand, Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 15c; lb 50c.

### **SQUASH**

White Bush or Patty Pan, Yellow Bush, Summer Crookneck, Fordhook, Boston Marrow, Chicago Warted Hubbard, Mammoth Chili and Winter Crookneck, Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 35c; lb \$1.25.

## TOMATO

Sparks, Earlianna, Matchless, Bonny Best, New Stone, Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 25c; oz. 40c.

Ponderosa, Pkt. 10c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c; oz. 60c.

## TURNIPS

White Milan (Summer Variety), Pkt. 5c; oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 50c; lb \$1.25. White Egg, Purple Top Strap Leaf, Yellow Stone or Yellow Globe, and Ruta Baga or Swede, Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 25c; lb 75c.

## HERBS

Lavender, Mustard, Sage, Summer Savoy, Thyme, Dill, Sorrel, Pkt. 5c.

## GRASS SEED

Spy Hill Grass Seed—For open lawn, Pkt. 5c; lb 35c; 2 lb 65c; 10 lb \$3.00.

Spy Hill Grass Seed—For shady places, Pkt. 5c; lb 45c; 2 lb 85c; 10 lb \$4.00.

White Clover—Pkt. 5c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb 35c; lb 65c.

Rape, Dwarf Essex—Pkt. 5c; lb 25c.

Timothy Seed—Per lb 20c; 5 lb 95c; 10 lb \$1.70.

Red Top—Per lb 30c; 5 lb \$1.25; 10 lb \$2.00.

Spy Hill Grass Seed for the lawn, 1 lb will cover 12x15 feet or about 150 square feet, five bushels to the acre for the best results. For renovating a lawn use one half this amount.

We have very fine shady lawn grass seed, pkt. 5c; lb 45c; 2 lb 85c; 10 lb \$4.00.

Spy Hill Grass Seed for sunny places or open lawn, Pkt. 5c; lb 35c; 2 lb 65c; 10 lb \$3.00.

For best results use Vigoro, on ground before planting grass seed.

All varieties of flower seeds in packages, with name and directions for planting on each package.

Nasturtiums (tall and dwarf), oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 40c; lb \$1.50.

Sweet Peas—Spencer Mixed, oz. 15c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 50c; lb \$1.75.



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